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## Letcher Farmers Win At Robinson Harvest Festival

The Robinson Harvest Festival was held at Quicksand, Ky., Friday, Sept. 27. All Eastern Kentucky, composing approximately 20 counties, participated in this big annual event.

A total of eight farmers, seven homemakers, and two 4-H club members from Letcher sent exhibits. Those attending from Letcher County were T. F. Brooks, Thornton, Ky., N. R. Day, Whitesburg; Belvedere Lovely, Corbett Lovely, County Agent; Mrs. A. E. Quinlan, Fleming; Paula Flinchum, Mayking; Fay Sumpter, Partridge; and Mary Belle Rogers, Home Agent, Whitesburg.

### FARMERS EXHIBIT

T. F. Brooks and Melvin Killen exhibited some very beautiful apples. Winnings were as follows: First place—Blue Ribbon—Stayman and Black Ben Apples — T. F. Brooks, Thornton, Ky. Second place—Red Ribbon — Golden Delicious, and third Rome also won by Mr. Brooks.

Melvin Killen of Payne Gap near Jenkins won first place and blue ribbons on Red Delicious and Rome Beauty apples. Second place and a Red Ribbon was won by Mr. Killen in his Golden Delicious apples.

Alvin N. Proffitt, Polly, Ky., won first place and a blue ribbon on comb and strained honey. He won first place and a blue ribbon on Irish Cobbler Potatoes.

W. L. King, Whitesburg, won first and a Blue Ribbon on strained and combed honey. Mr. King and Proffitt surely exhibited some high grade honey.

John D. Dixon, of Jeremiah, won second and a Red Ribbon on his primed flying tobacco. N. R. Day, won third on his potatoes. Mr. Day is saving his best corn and potatoes for our window exhibit.

### HOMEMAKERS EXHIBIT

Nine Letcher Homemakers sent exhibits and the winnings were as follows:

Braided Rug — Mrs. John Vermillion — Little Cowan Club—First prize.

Braided Rug — Mrs. John Long—Little Cowan Club — Second prize.

Hooked Rug — Mrs. Wilma B. Adkins—First prize.

Luncheon Set — Mrs. G. Bennett Adams — Mayking Club—First prize.

### 4-H CLUB EXHIBIT

Three 4-H Club members sent eight exhibits and won 5 blue ribbons and 2 red.—The winnings were as follows:

### CLOTHING

Dresses: Paula Flinchum—Blue Ribbon Fay Sumpter—Blue Ribbon. June Raleigh Lewis—Red Ribbon.

Pajamas: Paula Flinchum—Blue Ribbon

### CANNING

Fay Sumpter: Peaches—Blue Ribbon Beans—Blue Ribbon Strawberry Preserves — Red Ribbon.

## 8 Miners Killed In State During August

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 1 — The Kentucky mines and minerals department says that eight coal miners were killed in mine accidents during August, compared with nine for the same month in 1945.

The August total brings the number killed in 1946 to 65, the same total for the first eight months of 1945.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Cornett spent several days shopping in Lexington last week.

## Lions Club Raises \$750.00 For 4-H Clubs of County

The Whitesburg Lions Club is greatly interested in the future of Letcher County boys and girls. During the past twelve months the members of our 4-H clubs have been busy with various projects developing their minds, character and bodies—the climax of this year's work will be reached Thursday, Oct. 3, the beginning of the achievement day county fair. Visit Whitesburg on Thursday, Friday and Saturday and see what our boys and girls are doing. This fair promises to be Letcher county's biggest and best.

The Whitesburg Lions Club has collected in various ways \$750.00 which has been turned over to the 4-H clubs treasurer with which prizes will be purchased and given to contestant winners during the three day fair. Also the money will be used together with money collected by other civic clubs to carry on activities during the ensuing year. Let's all help this worthy group to higher achievement.

—Cossie Quillen, Pub. Committee.

## 11 Hitlerites Doomed

Nuernberg, Oct. 2 — Hermann Goering and the 10 other doomed Nazi began their last dreary two weeks of life today under an anti-suicide vigil with virtually no hope of an Allied Council reprieve from the hangman's rope.

The 11 men under death sentence by the international tribunal had nothing to do but sit and await Oct. 16. The trial excitement was over, their gallery gone. They had no prospect of seeing their families again.

Everything indicated that any clemency appeals they make to the Allied Control Council before the Saturday midnight deadline would be only for the record.

Without neckties, razor blades, knives, breakable furniture—anything they might use to commit suicide—the 11 were restricted to their cells 23 hours each day. The other hour was for rigidly guarded exercise.

Every minute in their 325-odd remaining hours of life the condemned will be under the guardian eyes of American soldiers peering at them through square portholes in their cell doors. They will not even be permitted their eyeglasses when alone.

## Lions Club Sponsors Entertaining Play

On last Thursday night one of the largest crowds ever to assemble at the Grade School auditorium gathered for two hours of the most wholesome fun and recreation. The 3-act comedy, "Pep Parade" was played by members of the Lions Club.

Between acts the chorus girls, tiny tot contest, beautiful singers including Misses Patsy Ann Fields, Ardell Hogg and Madonna Smith, the Cumberland Sextett and other features helped to make a delightful evening.

Much local talent was in evidence and it is to be hoped that similar performances of this type will be held more often.

### AMONG THE SICK

Among the hospital patients in the Jenkins Hospital from Whitesburg this week are Mrs. G. D. Polly, Mrs. Howard Polly, Mrs. Dennis Combs. All are reported to be getting along splendidly.

## Bell County Wets Win Contest Suit

Frankfort, Oct. 1.—The Kentucky court of appeals has declared whiskey sales in Bell county are legal, a ruling, which upholds a wet victory declared by Bell Circuit Judge James Forrester.

The opinion, written by Judge Thomas Dawson, of Anchorage, held that the wets won a local option one year ago by a margin of not more than 13 and not less than seven votes.

Judge Forester had ruled in favor of the wet forces following a contest of the election. The original vote count showed a dry victory by 153 votes. A recount narrowed the lead to 86 and the contest resulted in a wet lead of 44 votes.

Four of the Appellate Judges concurred in Judge Dawson's opinion and Judges Gus Thomas and Eugene Siler dissented.

The ruling leaves Bell county the only ninth district county in which liquor may be sold legally.

## Young Man Commits Suicide at Roxana

Hiram Sparks, 20 year old son of Bill Sparks of Roxana committed suicide on last Saturday night by shooting himself with a shot gun. He left home early in the evening after a family quarrel and was found about 10:00 o'clock about one mile below his home on Paces Branch. The deceased is survived by his parents, a wife and one child.

Troy Frazier who has been a patient at St. Joseph Infirmary in Louisville is expected to arrive home this week.

### PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

To All To Whom These Presents Shall Come:

Whereas, the newspaper publishers of America, their National Association, and the Kentucky Press Association have again set October 1 to October 8 as National Newspaper Week; and,

Whereas, the slogan for this week is, "A Free Press—Voice of Freedom, Guardian of Liberty;" and the theme is, "The Newspaper as a Public Servant;" and,

Whereas, the freedom of the press is still a historic issue for the winning of the peace. It is deemed fitting and proper that this important subject have a fuller significance in the lives of all American people; and,

Whereas, it is important that newspapers realize their responsibility to the public by virtue of the freedom of the press enjoyed, and shall continue to serve as a voice of freedom and a guardian of liberty for the welfare of the communities in which they serve.

Now, Therefore, I, Smeon Willis, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, do hereby designate October 1 to Oct. 8, 1946, as NATIONAL NEWSPAPER WEEK IN KENTUCKY and call upon all citizens of the Commonwealth to appropriately observe this week in tribute to the American Press.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this twentieth day of September in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-six, and in the year of the Commonwealth the One Hundred and Fifty-Fifth.

Signed:  
Smeon Willis,  
Governor.

Attest:  
Charles K. O'Connell,  
Secretary of State.

### Evangelistic Services at Presbyterian Church



REV. ROGER P. MELTON  
Evangelist

Rev. Roger P. Melton is conducting Evangelistic services at the Presbyterian Church from Sept. 29th, to October 6th. He is being assisted by Mr. Walter B. Mann, singer, who has sung with Rodeheaver. These services are well worth attending and all people of the community are invited.



WALTER B. MANN  
Singer

## May Able To Make Race Physician Says

Prestonsburg, Ky., Oct. 1 — Kentucky Congressman Andrew (Jack) May is sufficiently recovered from a heart condition to return to Washington but one of his physicians says the Democratic representative has made no immediate plans for the trip.

### P. T. A. TO MEET OCTOBER 9TH

The Parent-Teachers Association will meet in the Grade School Auditorium Wednesday afternoon, October 9 at 2:30 o'clock. This is the first meeting of the new school year. Every parent is urged to become a member and cooperate with the teachers in this worthwhile organization.

## Auction Sale of A. B. Francis Property Sat., Oct. 12th Rain or Shine

This property consists of 10 new houses and about 100 lots. Look for our advertisement in next week's Mountain Eagle. Free—\$50.00 bill will be given away absolutely free at this sale.

SAM COLLINS  
LAND AUCTION CO.

For the first time in 71 years of major-league baseball, a complete season ended in a first-place tie. The St. Louis Cardinals and the Brooklyn Dodgers lost in a dead heat for the National League pennant. A three-game playoff will determine the winner.

## 2 Districts Remain Wet In Pike; Floyd Goes Dry

Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 1.—Only two of Pike County's eight magisterial districts remained wet today after local-option elections yesterday here and in adjoining Floyd County.

In Floyd County the vote, on a county-wide basis was 6,274 for prohibition, 4,669 against.

The two Pike County districts remaining wet were Districts 7 (Pond Creek) and 8 (Peters Creek), mining areas near the West Virginia border which rejected prohibition by votes of 1,379 to 1,042 and 688 to 553, respectively.

### STATEMENT FROM PRESIDENT TRUMAN ON NATIONAL NEWSPAPER WEEK

It is a pleasure to me again to salute the press of the United States on the occasion of National Newspaper Week. The newspapers of the nation did a magnificent job during the war. They threw their full support behind the campaign to salvage and collect needed war materials. They were in the forefront of every drive for the sale of war stamps and bonds. They reported the war admirably, operating under a voluntary code of censorship. They strengthened the spirit of the people at home and the morale of the fighting forces abroad. In the words of your slogan, our press is the "Voice of Freedom—Guardian of Liberty."

Upon it now rests a tremendous share of the responsibility for solving the problems of peace. I know well that this responsibility will be met in full.

—Harry S. Truman  
President of the United States.

### THE NEWSPAPER AS A PUBLIC SERVANT

Thomas Jefferson once said: "I would rather live in a country with newspapers without government, than in a country with a government but without newspapers." In this chaotic era it is worth repeating and re-reading.

The slogan for the seventh annual National Newspaper Week is "A Free Press—Voice of Freedom—Guardian of Liberty," and the theme is "The Newspaper As a Public Servant."

One has only to look over this war-weary world to realize that only a few nations are blessed with a free press. Most intelligent people will agree that the freedom of the press is the capstone of the Four Great Freedoms and that once you lose this freedom of the press, all other freedoms vanish.

However, freedom of the press, as we understand it, has become such a common part of our American way of life that we simply take it for granted and do not realize that this condition does not exist for millions of people over the globe.

Such freedom of the press is essential in our form of democracy. The first step of any dictator is to discredit or seize control of the press. Dictatorial government officials resent newspapers that do not agree with them. Our form of government is based upon a check-and-balance system between three major branches—the executive, legislative, and judicial. Newspapers as a "fourth estate" was recognized years ago, because of its power to serve as a watchdog of the people's rights; to keep the people informed and united for their best interests.

## Handicap Employment Given Local Impetus

The Whitesburg Office of the U. S. Employment Service today announced plans for participation in 'National Employ the Physically Handicapped Week', which has been set for October 6-12.

In announcing this 'Week' Eugene E. Day, USES Manager pointed out that this is a very significant program in Letcher County. Those suffering industrial injuries and those wounded in the armed services constitute a large percentage in the county. In the files of the USES alone there are registered for employment approximately 200 handicapped workers.

Statistics show that low turnover, absenteeism and accident rates plus high efficiency rates make handicaps very desirable workers when their abilities are properly matched to the job. The experiences of employers during war time in working handicaps are potent examples of the contributions which the handicapped can make.

Within the past two months the local office announced that it had been able to place approximately 25 handicapped workers on jobs in which they are now making proper adjustment. It was further pointed out that handicaps should be employed with accent on their abilities rather than on their disabilities.

All employers who have openings for which handicaps might qualify are urged to place their order with the Employment Service to provide these workers access to job information.

## Pikeville College To Observe Founders Day Oct. 10th

Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 1. — The annual Founders Day and Homecoming celebration will be held at Pikeville College on Thursday, Oct. 10, President A. A. Page announced this week.

The Rev. Barney McLean, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church of Danville, will address the students, faculty members, and friends of the college in Wickham Chapel at 11 a. m.

All guests are invited to the luncheon in the Dining Hall. In the afternoon tours will be made of the campus to show recent improvements that have been made. At 3:00 o'clock the Parent-Teachers Association will entertain with a tea at the Pikeville College Training School.

The College music students will be presented in a concert at 7:30 by Forrest E. Albert, head of the Music Department. The closing event will be a reception.

All graduates, former students, and friends of the school are cordially invited to attend.

### Cannery News

We are not having a lot to can now, therefore we must make appointments after Thursday, Oct. 3. You may call 187 or 176 for the appointment. This call must come in time for us to get enough appointments for a day's work, then let you know if we can open.

If you are planning to kill beef or pork, give us a ring before butchering that we may get a day's work planned. We grind sausage, render lard and can meat. It will take more than one person killing to make a day's work.

—Ann Dugan

## Sen. Lawrence Carter To Be Rotary Speaker Friday, Oct. 4th

Senator Lawrence Carter, Harlan, Ky., will address the Whitesburg Rotary Club, October 4, noon, on the need for a new state constitution at Whitesburg, Ky.

Senator Carter will appear under auspices of the Committee for a New State Constitution, a non-political organization of men and women interested in replacing the 1891 constitution with a modern document they hope will be more responsive to current needs of the people.

The speaker's appearance in Whitesburg is one in a series of state-wide meetings scheduled by the committee, of which Dr. Thomas D. Clark, of the University of Kentucky, is chairman. The meetings are being addressed by a speakers' bureau of 50 civic-minded men and women, representing many professions and interests. Hambleton Tapp, Frankfort, is chairman of the speakers' bureau.

The question directly in issue is whether or not the people, at the general election in 1947, will approve calling a constitutional convention. The two preliminary steps already have been taken, with passage by the 1944 and 1946 General Assemblies of an identical bill authorizing the question to be put to the people.

If the people show by their affirmative votes in November, 1947, that they want a constitutional convention, 100 delegates would be elected in 1948, from the 100 districts of the House of Representatives. The machinery for this election, and a blueprint of procedure, would be enacted by the 1948 Legislature.

The Committee for a New State Constitution has announced plans to conduct an aggressive speaking campaign, with the primary purpose of making clear to local audiences the reasons and arguments for a new constitution.

## Autumn Song Festival Oct. 13th

Pikeville, Ky., Oct. 1.—The Autumn Song Festival (Singing Convention) will be held in Pikeville, Ky., on Sunday, Oct. 13, 1946 (rain or shine), beginning at 10:00 A. M. and continuing until 5:00 P. M., with adjournment from 11:30 to 12:30 P. M. for lunch.

The purpose of the Festival is to foster good music, especially vocal, among the mountain folks, and especially to encourage the appreciation of good music in the Cumberland Mountain Area.

The meeting will be held, rain or shine, in the Pikeville High School Auditorium, and efficient amplification equipment will be afforded.

A group of local business men have given generously of their time and money because of their love of music, and their desire to see Pikeville progress, and continue in its reputation as "A Friendly Welcome to Everyone."

## Huge Still Reported Captured in Jenkins

On last Saturday Deputy Sheriffs Jim Bryant, Booker Wright, Hibbert Elkins assisted by Federal officer, Trimble and his crew captured a three hundred gallon capacity still about three hundred yards above the old Bethel Baptist church. There was a quantity of mash and three men were arrested and taken to Pikeville where they are held awaiting action of the Federal Grand Jury.



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## FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

OCTOBER 6 - 12

### Tomorrow May Be Too Late

The old saw that "great oaks from little acorns grow" is applicable to fire prevention as well as to other matters. A little care can prevent great conflagrations.

Fire prevention is as much a duty of the householder and the small business as of the great industry. During the war years, most property depreciated from lack of maintenance—and the fire danger has increased accordingly. If a home or a business is destroyed, the cost of replacing it is two or more times as much as in 1941—and in many instances, sufficient labor and materials are not available even if

the cost is no object. Last, and most important, every fire brings with it the risk of loss of life.

Such hazards as accumulated trash, inadequately insulated heating systems, worn, exposed electric wiring and faulty cooking equipment are responsible for a high proportion of fires in homes. All of these hazards can be corrected. And this is literally a case where tomorrow may be too late to effect the needed repairs.

OCT. 6-12 IS FIRE PREVENTION WEEK. LET'S TAKE EVERY PRECAUTION TO ELIMINATE ALL FIRE HAZARDS AND PREVENT FIRES WHICH MIGHT DESTROY LIFE AND PROPERTY.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Polly of Mayking, Ky., announce the engagement of their daughter, Jeraldine, to Jack W. Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett

Blair of Whitesburg. The wedding is being planned for October 16, 6:30 P. M., at the Presbyterian Church in Whitesburg.

I live in a house on the hill  
Where everything is quiet and still

I meet life with a smile  
And life smiles at me  
Therefore I'm happy as can be.

I live with my mother and father

Who are getting old and grey  
As I too will be someday  
My brothers and sisters make  
sunshine and joy  
Which, nothing can destroy.

My pastime is to radio and read

My sister Valma gets me everything I need

I have three beautiful daughters I know  
Who would be very unhappy  
if mother should go

The peace that I possess  
Was given me from on high  
I guess

For it is impossible to be given  
by man

This peace I get by holding on  
to the everlasting hand.

I hope some day my children  
will know  
The peace that will be given  
them  
If to Jesus they will go.

I would love to walk again  
you know  
But it is best this way or it  
wouldn't have been fixed so  
I have faith to believe  
I will walk someday  
Because I'm not satisfied this  
way.

I'm not Geo. Washington, I  
won't lie  
No matter what it seems to  
gain to live or die.

I will ring off before it gets  
too late  
And my troubles I begin to  
relate.

Believe it or not this is but  
facts in a case  
My hearts desire is to cheer  
someone  
As ill as me or worse.

—Elma Adams Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Back. Miss  
Katherine Back and Mr. W. L.  
Stallard, Jr., spent Tuesday in  
Norton.

Miss Lucille Cook entertained with a party Saturday night Sept. 28. Those attending were Ardell Hogg, Avenell Polly, Mack Worliff, Sallie Lou Maggard, Norma Polly, Henry Williams, Louise Williams, John Brown, Jonell Board, James Collins, Fay Bowen, Fay Moore, Zoe Frazier, Junior Godsey, Haschal Combs, Juanita Banks, Jack Ingram, Parnell, Merrie, Dewyane Banks, Steve Bowen, Kinnie Frazier, Rachel Combs.

"Are you blind?" snarled the pedestrian. "Blind?" snapped the driver, "I hit you didn't I?"

Miss Norma Polly gave a birthday party in honor of her sister, Junelle on Friday, Sept. 27. Among those who attended were: Sara Hall, Jack Ingram, Rachel Combs, Henry Williams, Dudley Parsons, Parnelle, Merrie, Bobby Franklin, Lucille Cook, Sallie Lou Maggard, Richard Fields and Ardell Hogg.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lewis, Ann and Marty Lewis, spent Sunday in Harlan.

### REPORT OF PROPERTY PRESUMED ABANDONED AS OF JULY 1, 1946

Property held by individuals, financial or other institutions to be turned over to the Department of Revenue, Commonwealth of Kentucky, between November 1 and November 15, 1946.

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WHITESBURG, KY.	
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Tolliver, W. L.,	Whitesburg, Ky. ....
Rogaski, Emery	McRoberts, Ky. ....
Mangard, Dominick	Whitesburg, Ky. ....
McRoberts Charity Fund	McRoberts, Ky. ....
Hughes, James B.	Jenkins, Ky. ....
Elkhorn Motor Co.	Jenkins, Ky. ....
Dingus, J. E.	Hugh, Virginia .....
Davis, Frank	Address unknown .....
Craft, S. M.	Roxana, Ky. ....
Coleman, A. O.	Kings Creek, Ky. ....
Brown, Shade R.	Barbourville, Ky. ....
Bourn, R. L.,	Whitesburg, Ky. ....
Adams, Bert	Whitesburg, Ky. ....
Michell, Anna Belle	Jenkins, Ky. ....
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This 15th day of September, 1946.

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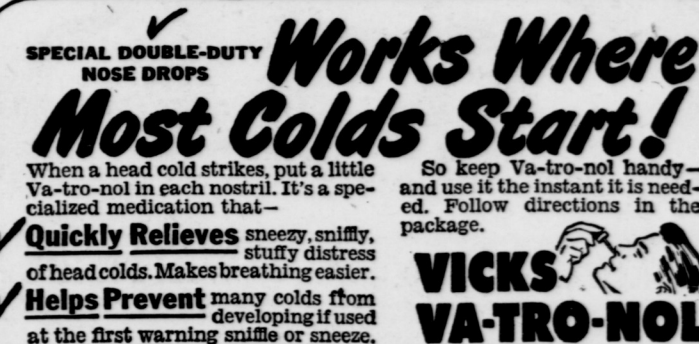
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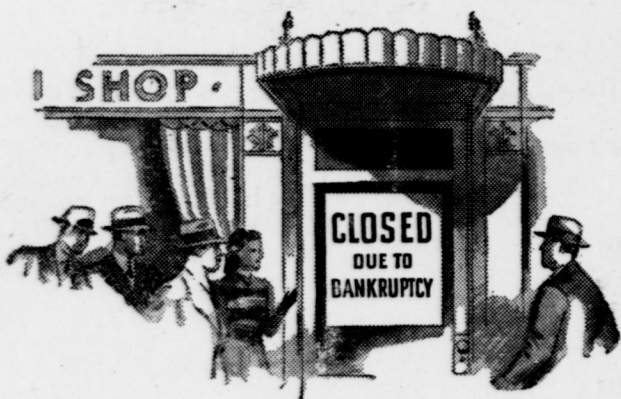
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## WHITESBURG ROTARY CLUB

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Invocation.  
Luncheon.

Speaker for Friday, Sept. 30th was D. W. Little—Subject "What We Can Do To Improve Our Club". Rotarian Little gave some very fine suggestions which we feel should improve the club and create added interest.

Members were pleased to learn that Hugh Adams is now a new member of Rotary. We feel Hugh will be a great asset to the club, especially along the musical line.

Bill Heermans volunteered to meet with the Boy Scouts this week and do what he could to promote the scouting movement.

### Rotary Club Speaking Schedules—'46-47

(For High Schools)

Coy Holstein — Jenkins (12:45 E.S.T.) 1st Wednesday Oct. 1946.

G. D. Polly—Jenkins (12:45 E.S.T.) 1st Wed. Nov., 1946.  
D. W. Little—Jenkins (12:45 E.S.T.) 1st Wed. Dec. 1946.

Stephen Combs, Jr. — Jenkins (12:45 E.S.T.) 3rd Wednesday, January, 1947.

Herman Hale — Jenkins (12:45 E.S.T.) 2nd Wed. Feb. 1947.

W. L. Cooper — Jenkins (12:45 E.S.T.) 1st Wed. March 1947.

W. H. Heerman — Jenkins (12:45 E.S.T.) 1st Wed. April 1947.

Myrel Brown — Jenkins (12:45 E.S.T.) 1st Wednesday May, 1947.

Stephen Combs, Jr.—Fleming (11:10 E.S.T.) 2nd Wednesday Oct. 1946.

Myrel Brown — Fleming (11:10 E.S.T.) 2nd Wednesday, Nov. 1946.

W. H. Heerman — Fleming (11:10 E.S.T.) 2nd Wed. Dec. 1946.

Coy Holstein — Fleming (11:10 E.S.T.) 3rd Wed. Jan. 1947.

Dr. B. C. Bach — Fleming (11:10 E.S.T.) 2nd Wed. February, 1947.

G. D. Polly—Fleming (11:10 E.S.T.) 2nd Wed. March, 1947.

Archie Craft — Fleming (11:10 E.S.T.) 2nd Wed. April 1947.

Virgil Picklesimer — Fleming (11:10 E.S.T.) 2nd Wednesday, May, 1947.

Virgil Picklesimer—Whitesburg (10:00 C.S.T.) 1st Wednesday Oct. 1946.

Archie Craft — Whitesburg (10:00 C.S.T.) 1st Wed. November, 1946.

Oscar Lewis — Whitesburg (10:00 C.S.T.) 1st Wed. December, 1946.

Arthur Dixon—Whitesburg (10:00 C.S.T.) 3rd Wednesday Jan. 1947.

Dr. P. E. Sloan—Whitesburg (10:00 C.S.T.) 2nd Wednesday Feb. 1947.

Reed Cromer—Whitesburg (10:00 C.S.T.) 1st Wednesday March, 1947.

W. G. Holbrook — Whitesburg (10:00 C.S.T.) 1st Wed.

April 1947.

W. L. Cooper — Whitesburg (10:00 C. S. T.) 7th Wednesday, May, 1947.

Arthur Dixon — S. R. S.—(11:00 C. S. T.) 1st Wednesday Oct. 1946.

Reed Cromer — S. R. S. (11:00 C. S. T.) 1st Wednesday Nov. 1946.

B. E. Boggs—S. R. S. (11:00 C.S.T.) 1st Wednesday December, 1946.

Virgil Picklesimer — S.R.S. (11:00 C.S.T.) 4th Wednesday Jan. 1947.

Millard Tolliver — S. R. S. (11:00 C.S.T.) 1st Wed. February, 1947.

Lewis E. Harvie — S.R.S.—(11:00 C.S.T.) 1st Wednesday March, 1947.

R. D. Collins—S. R. S. (11:00 C.S.T.) 1st Wed. April 1947.

Myrel Brown—S.R.S. (11:00 C.S.T.) 1st Wed. May, 1947.

W. L. Cooper — Kingdom Come (10:00 C. S. T.) 1st Tuesday Oct. 1946.

R. D. Collins — Kingdom Come (10:00 C. S. T.) 3rd Tuesday, Oct. 1946.

J. S. Robinson — Kingdom Come (10:00 C.S.T.) 1st Tuesday, Nov. 1946.

Kermit Combs — Kingdom Come (10:00 C.S.T.) 3rd Tuesday Nov. 1946.

Millard Tolliver—Kingdom Come (10:00 C.S.T.) 1st Tuesday Dec. 1946.

W. L. COOPER, Chm. Vocational Speaking — For High Schools.

R. D. COLLINS, The Working Member of Committee.

### Rotary Club Program Schedule

Oct. 4—Constitution. Senator Carter.

Oct. 11 — Fire Prevention week.

Oct. 18—Sanitary Conditions of Letcher County — Beryl Boggs.

Oct. 25 — Hear the Other Side—Reed Cromer.

Nov. 8—Nov. 1—Virgil Picklesimer.

Nov. 8 — Let's Set a Good Example—Meryl Brown.

Nov. 15—Progress of Scouting in Letcher County by G. D. Polly.

Nov. 22—Thanksgiving Program—J. S. Robinson.

Nov. 29—Option — L. E. Harvie.

Dec. 6—Have We Kept Up—Dr. Dow Collins.

Dec. 13—Stabilizing World Finances—Herman Hale.

Dec. 20 — Christmas Program—Hugh Adams.

Dec. 27—Open.

### 4-H and School Fair Oct. 3, 4 and 5th

The parade will begin at 9:15 Friday, Oct. 4 at the Whitesburg Grade School Building. The Jenkins Band will lead the parade followed by High Schools, Grade Schools, and Rural Schools.

\$5.00 prizes will be awarded to the best of each of the three groups.

The Program is as follows: (Schedule on Central Stand-ard Time).

9:00 A. M. — Assembly at Grade School.

GROUP I  
9:15 A. M.—Parade from Grade School to Court House and return.

GROUP II  
10:00 A. M.—Spelling: Grade School Building.

GROUP III  
1:00 A. M. — Music: Grade School Auditorium.

GROUP IV.  
10:00 A. M. — Gramatics, etc; High School Auditorium.

GROUP V  
10:00 A. M.—Written and Hand Work will be on display all day in room opposite Auditorium.

GROUP VI  
11:00 A. M.—Athletics: Grade School Field.

GROUP VII  
1:00 P. M. — String Band: Grade School Auditorium.

1:30 P. M.—4-H and School Achievement Exercises — Grade School Auditorium.

4-H WINDOW EXHIBITS  
Window Exhibits will be judged on Friday and the prizes will be awarded at 1:30 P. M. in the Grade School Building.

Come and bring your family.

### Joint Circle Meetings

The Woman's Society of Christian Service, Circle No. 1 entertained Belle Bennett Circle on Tuesday evening at the Methodist Church. Miss Ellene Salyer led the program. Included were Rev. and Mrs. Paul M. Stewart, Miss Sibyl Dawahare, Miss Mary Dawahare, Mrs. Bradley Polly, Mrs. Carl Breeding, Mrs. Archie Craft, Mrs. Mitt Meyers, Miss Bertha Vincent, Miss Viola Cook, Mrs. Orval Hughes, Mrs. Ruth Rice, Mrs. W. E. Cook, Mrs. Bradley Goodwin, Mrs. Edgar Maggard, Mrs. Vergil Blair, Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr., Mrs. H. S. Holstein, Mrs. Owen Pigman, Mrs. Cecil Webb. Tuna salad, hot rolls, cup cakes and coffee were served. Following the program a personal shower was given for Mrs. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. French Hawk were hosts to the Letcher County Garden Club at their home on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Roy Crawford made a talk on "Birds", Mrs. Lawrence Lewis on "Fall Planting of Bulbs" and Mrs. Lewis Ammerman on "Annuals for Winter Planting." New officers elected were President, Mrs. Preston E. Sloan, Vice-President Mrs. Roy Crawford, Recording Secretary, Mrs. Lawrence Lewis, Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. French Hawk, Treasurer Mrs. C. L. Kilgore. Delegate to State Garden Club Convention at Middlesboro, 7th and 8th of October, Mrs. Sloan. New members received, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis. Frozen fruit salad, cookies and coffee were served. Included were Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Picklesimer, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lewis, Mrs. W. P. Nolan, Mrs. Mary Belle Rogers, Mrs. W. H. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Crawford, Mrs. Lawrence Lewis, and Mrs. Lewis Ammerman.

### Whitesburg Schools

Whitesburg Schools opened September 2, 1946, with prospects for a good school year under the supervision of Millard Tolliver. A record number of 884 students were enrolled; 419 in the high school and 465 in the grades.

One new bus and three practically new ones are ready to transport students to and from school with maximum efficiency and safety.

The school is offering a good musical program under the direction of Mr. Hugh Adams. Mr. Adams has announced that more than 50 students are taking private lessons as well as large number enrolled in the band. Miss Glenna Little, Mr. William Walter Hall, and Mrs. Tolliver are assisting in the music department.

The school is blessed with an excellent faculty of qualified teachers. The library is under the supervision of Mrs. Carlice Breeding.

We have several new teachers on the high school faculty this year. They are Mrs. Mattie Ward Magee who formerly taught at Bolling Green Business University, Miss Viola Cook who taught at Kingsport, Tenn., Miss Vera Raleigh who taught in Winthrop College in South Carolina, Miss Lucille Bach of Jackson City School, Mr. Millard Saylor formerly coach of Hall High School, and Mr. Walter Enlow who taught for several years in the Fleming School System. We are fortunate to have these additions to our efficient staff of teachers returning to us from last year.

In the grade faculty many of the superior teachers of last year are with us again. The new additions to the faculty are Mrs. Cecil Webb, Mrs. Blaine Polly, Mrs. Lindsey Polly, and Mrs. Ruth Rice.

The faculty and students are organized cooperatively and both wish to state their appreciation for the interest that the parents and friends have shown in the schools this fall.

The schools wish to welcome anyone so desiring to visit the hill at any time to see the work being accomplished by our students.

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## VETERANS ADMINISTRATION

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Close-to-home service by the Veterans Administration for Jenkins and Neon veterans was announced this week by Harry W. Farmer, Manager of the VA Regional Office at Lexington.

Jenkins will be visited each Wednesday, and Neon each Friday, by Walter D. Fulton, Contact Representative from the VA office in Whitesburg. Mr. Fulton will establish his itinerant office at the Recreation Building in Jenkins and at the Cumberland Hotel in Neon. Hours of the weekly visits will be from 9:00 a. m. to 3:00 p. m.

According to Mr. Farmer, the itinerant service will make advice and assistance on all VA benefits easily available to veterans and their dependents of these two towns. Such benefits include G. I. Insurance, pension and compensation, medical treatment and hospitalization, loans, readjustment allowances, and education and training. Ex-service men and women who have questions regarding these benefits are invited to consult Mr. Fulton either at Jenkins on Wednesday or at Neon on Friday.

Veterans desiring to file applications are asked to bring with them a photostatic or certified copy of their discharge and any correspondence they might have had with the Veterans Administration.

## Skyline News

Miss Dorothy Ellen Cornett attended a Pie Supper at Turkey Creek School Saturday night. It is reported that the pie supper was a splendid success both socially and financially, which is a credit to the two able young lady teachers of that school—Miss Dovie Mae Cornett and Mrs. Verna Stamper Cornett.

Pvt. Ellis Cornett has just arrived from Hollaran General Hospital, Staten Island, New York, where he is serving in the U. S. Army. Ellis has numerous friends and relatives and will be kept busy getting around to visit them all.

Miss Doris June Creech came over from Cumberland, where she is attending school, and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Creech.

Mr. Shelby Ison visited Miss Dovie Mae Cornett at her home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Blane Combs was out among his friends and neighbors Sunday and had this bit of advice to offer: "The next time you get a chance to purchase a pound of lard don't let the price nor the O.P.A. bluff you."

Rev. Geo. B. Ison was a Sunday visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Creech.

Vernon Ison is ginning cane and boiling them 'lasses down.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Green Caudill are the parents of a baby boy. It is expected that Willie will eventually recover his equilibrium and rationality. The mother and babe are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Major Cornett made a business journey to Hazard, Saturday.

Mr. Gillis Akemon has moved to our neighborhood as a permanent resident. Mr. Akemon, we welcome you.

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—Major Cornett.

## Wanted-To Buy or Rent A House

Veteran, wife and small son wants to buy a house or rent one—if you have anything at all write Box 367, Whitesburg, Ky., or call Mountain Eagle.

Miss Peggy Ann Leach returned to Danville where she will continue her studies at Center College.

## OBITUARIES

(Reported by Evans Funeral Home)

## MARION B. BACK

Marion B. Back, of Carbon Glow, died last Wednesday afternoon, after suffering a stroke of Apoplexy that morning soon after going to work, and never regained consciousness, had been employed by the Carbon Glow Coal Co. since its coming to Carbon Glow, he was a man that made friends easily and held them throughout life.

While he was not a member of any church he left the following assurance that he had made things right with God on the 30th of August, 1936 he gave himself up to his Lord to do all he could to work and 'o what he thought would be pleasing in his sight so long as he lived on earth, so that he might have a happy home,

when he was called to leave this world. The note goes on stating, I think I can enjoy life much better this way, something has been killing me, I think it was the way I have been living. I feel more at ease today than I have for 3 years, I have been praying all morning, I am now setting on top of a Mountain on Beaver Creek in Floyd County by myself. I will always pray so long as I live, I hope to live to get forgiveness for all my sins, so I can meet my friends in Heaven, just think what a glorious meeting that will be.

He is survived by his wife, Ida, one daughter, Mrs. Jerry Smith and one grand-daughter, Mrs. Ray Gett, two brothers, Wesley of Smithboro, Ky., and John S. of Letcher, Ky.

Services were held at the home Thursday evening and funeral services were held Friday morning in the Family

Cemetery overlooking the family home by Elders Roy Whitaker and Estil Jents. Funeral arrangements by members of the Evans Funeral Home.

## DANIEL H. TROUTT

Daniel H. Troutt, passed away at his home on Colly Tuesday afternoon following an illness of several months. He had been a resident of Letcher County since 1926 coming here from Tennessee. He has been employed at some time by several of the larger Coal Mines on Kentucky River—he was always a steady and faithful workman.

Mr. Troutt is survived by his wife, one daughter Ruby Helen, 5 sons, Willard, George, Luther, Charlie and Howard, 1 brother J. L. Troutt, Banner, Virginia.

Services were held at the home Wednesday evening and

funeral services were held at the Isom Graveyard Thursday morning by Elders Andy Bates and Tip Cornett.

Burial in the family lot in the Isom Cemetery on Rockhouse by members of the Evans Funeral Home.

## U. K. ENROLLS 6,500; INCLUDES STUDENTS FROM ALL COUNTIES

Lexington, Oct. 1 — Every Kentucky county is represented in the all-time high University of Kentucky fall quarter enrollment which totals approximately 6,500. Late registrants are expected to boost the figure even higher.

The total exceeds the highest prediction of 5,500 students by over 1,000 and represents better than a 50 per cent increase over the highest previous enrollment of 4,297 registered last spring quarter. Some further indication of the

size of the U. K. student body is the fact that it is more than 70 per cent larger than the normal pre-war enrollment of approximately 3,800.

Classroom space, teaching staff, library space and eating facilities are taxed to capacity by the unanticipated increase, University officials declared. The housing situation, however, is all but "licked", according to Dean of the University Leo M. Chamberlain.

The greater portion of emergency veterans' housing had been finished by the opening of the term. Although 400 freshmen were forced to sleep on cots set up in the Men's Gymnasium temporarily, they soon were moved to barracks. No student was allowed to enter who did not have his own or University-operated housing facilities, Dean Chamberlain said.

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Calculating Machine Opr.	.....	110-140
Addressing Equip. Opr.	.....	110-140
Apprentice Accountant	.....	140-160
Junior Accountant	.....	160-200
Senior Claims Examiner	.....	200-225
Claims Examiner	.....	160-200
Claims Taker	.....	130-160
Statistical Clerk	.....	120-155
Apprentice Statistician	.....	140-160
Junior Statistician	.....	160-200
Senior Statistician	.....	250-300
Referee	.....	200-225
Field Worker	.....	150-175
Stud. Child Welfare Wtr.	.....	125-
Child Welfare Worker II.	.....	160-190
Child Welfare Worker I.	.....	190-235
Child Welfare Consultant	.....	235-280
Supervisor of Maintenance	.....	145-175

Merit System examinations will be given on November 9, 1946 in the following centers: Ashland, Bowling Green, Covington, Frankfort, Hazard, Hopkinsville, Louisville, Mayfield, Middlesboro, Morehead, Owensboro, Pikeville, Richmond, Somerset.

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**Your telephone rate is low and it is the earnest desire of your Telephone Company to keep it low.**

While your rate has remained the same for many years, the total cost of furnishing telephone service has steadily gone up. Since 1939 our expenses for Kentucky operations have increased 118 per cent, while revenue increased only 88 per cent.

## Wage Rates Up \$2,162,573

Much of the increase in expenses is represented by wages, since wages make up the greater part of the cost of furnishing telephone service. Wages have been raised in keeping with national policies and the general trend throughout the country. These wage increases were necessary to assure, through competent personnel, the provision of an adequate service. Telephone wage rates in Kentucky have been raised during the past 18 months by \$2,162,573 on an annual basis.

Since the first of this year, 40,000 new telephones have been installed in Kentucky, but 23,000 people are still waiting for telephones. This demand forces us to build new facilities now, in the face of high costs. The cost of erecting buildings has jumped 75 to 100 per cent; the overall cost of providing telephone facilities has advanced 45 to 60 per cent and the cost of telephone materials has increased 15 to 25 per cent. Despite these high costs, we telephone folks—and there are 4,000 of us in Kentucky—must continue to improve service generally, and to expand it. Our plans call for gross expenditures of approximately \$35,000,000 for telephone construction in Kentucky during the next five years.

## Pay-Out Is Increasing Faster Than Take-In

With the tremendous increase in the expenses of furnishing telephone service and with rates unchanged for years, we have a difficult time making ends meet. So much so, that today we find ourselves confronted with the lowest earnings in our history in spite of a record volume of business.

No business can long continue to render service when the amount paid out to provide that service is increasing faster than the amount taken in. Therefore, it is our

duty, as your public servant, to report this condition to you since it directly affects your telephone service. We must appeal to you for relief through the Kentucky Public Service Commission, which regulates our rates.

The requested rate increase for local service would be on a sliding scale depending on size of locality. Authority is also being asked for an increase of 5 cents on most long distance calls within the state.

## Residence Rate Held at Minimum

Today's high costs indicate a need for greater increases than we are asking, but it is hoped the proposed new rates will prove sufficient. In view of this, the increases requested on residential service were held to a minimum. Your Telephone Company feels that it is to the best interest of every business man in Kentucky that residential rates remain as low as possible.

The new rates we are asking represent an increase of 11 per cent of our total revenue in Kentucky. This is small when compared with the increased costs of doing business. In fact, even with the new rates, long-distance charges generally would be lower than they were 21 years ago and local service rates only slightly higher, while service has been considerably extended and its value has been increased many times.

Southern Bell wants rates no higher than necessary, to furnish everyone with good service and expand it. The proposed rates are the very minimum increases we can get by on. In face of rising costs, they are very modest.

## PROPOSED NEW MONTHLY RATES

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Business	\$3.50		\$2.75	No Change
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### JENKINS NEWS

— by Betty Jane Fugate —

(by Betty Jane Fugate)  
Mrs. Paul Ashcraft, Mrs. J. H. Hunter and daughter, Jane, were shopping in Bristol last Tuesday.

Mr. Duard Narramore was visiting relatives in Knoxville, Tenn., last week end.

Mr. Paul Vaughan of the University of Kentucky spent the week-end with his wife and parents here.

Mrs. Joe Brown and daughter, Nancy, were shopping in Norton last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Seth Kegan and children, Barbara, Betty, and Seth, Jr., were visiting relatives in Knoxville, Tenn., last week end.

Mrs. Frank Price, Jr., Mrs. Howard Burpo, Jr., and Miss Dorothy Jean Chewing were shopping in Bristol Saturday.

Mr. Thomas P. McCarthy of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, was a business caller in Jenkins last week.

Miss Yarett Swisher of the O.P.A. Office, Whitesburg, was

a business caller in Jenkins last week.

Mr. F. H. Price is a patient at the Jenkins Hospital.

Miss Lenore Bolling returned by plane to the University of New Mexico last week.

Mr. Beryl Boggs of the County Health Department was a business caller in Jenkins last week.

Mrs. Mary Holt of Knoxville, Tenn., Mrs. Charles Dunlap, and granddaughters, Sarah and Joy, of High Street were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Fugate last Saturday.

Mr. H. L. Owens, State Commander, and Mrs. Owens are attending the National Convention of the American Legion in San Francisco, Calif.

Mr. John Abbott is visiting relatives in Louisa, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. James Douglas Hanley of New York announce the birth of a seven and one-fourth pound son on Monday morning, September 16, 1946.

They have chosen the name, Peter Ellis, for their son. Mrs. Hanley is the former Kitty Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Wheeler of Oak St.

Jan Looney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Looney, is seriously ill at the Jenkins Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClellan of Goodwater Street have moved to the Nurses' Home.

Miss Helen Wheeler has accepted a position with the Jenkins Hospital.

Mr. G. J. Johnson, of the C. & O. Railway, and Mrs. Johnson returned home last Saturday after a two weeks' vacation. They accompanied their daughter, Rosemary, who was en route to Hood College, to Ashland, Ky. They visited Mrs. Johnson's brother, Mr. David McCullough and Mrs. McCullough until Thursday. From there they went to Erie, Penn., where they visited Mrs. Johnson's sister, Mrs. D. H. Infield and Mr. Infield and family. From Erie they came back to Ashland, Ky., and visited Mrs. Johnson's brother, Mr. Robert A. McCullough and Mrs. McCullough and family.

Mr. Ceviera Johnson and Mrs. Homer Coleman were fishing in Virginia last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tuck Tinsley, Jr., and son, Tuck, III, had as their week-end guests Mr. Tinsley's parents and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Tuck Tinsley, Nola Ree and Marizu, and Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Chainey of Adairville, Ky. Mr. Russell Elswick and Mr. Lessie Chainey of Pikeville were the dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tuck Tinsley, Jr., Sunday.

**JENKINS SCHOOL NEWS**  
P. T. A. Meeting—  
The Jenkins P. T. A. held its first meeting of this school year Thursday, Sept. 26, in the school auditorium. Mrs. M. E. Prunty, president, presided.

Entertainment was provided by the high school band under the direction of Mr. E. Paul Lyon. Rev. W. F. Pettus gave a talk on "Foundations of the Home in Regard to the Children."

Miss Grazia Combs was elected chairman of the program committee and Mrs. Elmer Bradley was elected chairman of the membership committee. The membership drive will be carried on through the month of October.

The regular P. T. A. meetings will be held the second Thursday of each month and all parents are urged to attend these meetings. The room which is represented by the most parents each meeting will be presented a book.

**ADULT TYPING CLASS**  
An adult typing class has been organized in Jenkins under the direction of Miss Josephine Vanover. Several adults have enrolled. The class meets twice a week in the Jenkins High School typing room.

**JENKINS CAVALIERS VS. HARLAN**  
The Jenkins Cavaliers play-

ed their third football game of the season Friday night, September 27, with the Harlan team at Harlan. The Cavaliers were defeated 47 to 7. Next Saturday afternoon, Oct. 5, the Cavaliers will play their first home game with Fleming.

### Sergeant News

Mr. Mart V. Prince passed from this life Sept. 28, 1946. It was a sad shock to his family and friends. He died suddenly. He was 73 years old. He leaves to mourn his passing four children, J. C. Prince of Mayking; Willie Prince of Georgia; Mrs. May Young of Covington; Mrs. Thomas Laxton of Hemphill; several grand children, one great grand son. The body was taken to Tennessee for burial. Craft Funeral Home in charge.

Mrs. Clinton Shores is very ill at this time, we all hope for her a speedy recovery—Mrs. Shores daughters, Mrs. Roy Miller and Mrs. Clarence Stamper are visiting here from Frankfort, Ky., also her son Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shores of West Va.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Strunk of Huntsville, Tenn., visited relatives in Sergeant last week.

Mrs. Joe Basham of Richlands, Va., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Roy L. Shores this week.

Mrs. Nannie Adams has been very ill. We are glad to report she is much improved at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Salling and little daughter, Nancy of Detroit, Mich., have been visiting his parents this week. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Salling.

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Hartt from Berwyn, Md., visited friends in Sergeant last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Russell Bowe spent the week end with her parents near Somerset, Ky.

Miss Ruthie Webb spent the week end with Ola F. Day.

Miss Anita Richardson is spending this week with Mrs. H. W. Salling of Sergeant.

Miss Gay and June Webb spent Friday night with their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Holbrook.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for the kindness and sympathy shown during the death of our wonderful father and husband, R.D. Yonts. The many flowers and visitors were a symbol of his kindness and good neighbor toward everyone. There's a great vacancy left in our hearts and home that can never be filled. May our loss be His gain. We also wish to thank the Craft Funeral Home for their kindness and service and the Rev. E. F. Bentley, Ballard Baker, Willis Tolliver, T. R. Collier and Bob Sexton for their wonderful sermon.

—Mrs. R. D. Yonts and Family

### Stuart Robinson School Highlights

Rev. D. B. Walthall Religious Education Director for the Synod of Kentucky and West Virginia visited Stuart Robinson last week.

Mr. Walthall talked to the students of the high school and grades on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday through the chapel periods, on The Important Choices of Life. His subject Monday was Choosing Christ And Risking All For Him. Tuesday he talked on Choosing A Mate As Your Life Partner. On Wednesday his subject was Choosing Your Life Work. His messages were greatly enjoyed by all and most helpful.

Miss Florence Gray attended Conference of Recreational at Norris, Tenn., last Friday and Saturday. The conference was under the direction of Miss Marie Marvel, recreational leader for the Council of Southern Mountain Workers.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Cooper visited Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Weger last Saturday at Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Miss Helen Turner and brother Otis spent Sunday at their home at Talbert, Ky.

The Senior Class of Stuart Robinson School under the sponsorship of Mrs. H. H. Acker put on a box supper last Friday night at the gymnasium. They took in \$239.00. This will be used as part of a class gift to the school.

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### NEON LOCALS

(by Jonelle Collier)

A good many children of Fleming Graded School will go to Whitesburg Friday to enter the County Fair for different activities.

The store of Elbert Ward was broken into Sunday night and lots of Jewelry and money were stolen. Mr. Ward is trying to find the guilty person.

Mrs. Sallie D. Bentley is out of school this week—Mrs. Marcus Yonts is substituting in her place.

Mr. and Mrs. Ishmael Napier were visiting Mr. Napier's parents at Whitaker, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. W. Jones and daughter, Faye, were calling on friends in Jenkins Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Roberts Jr., are the proud parents of a baby girl named Barbara Sue. Mother and babe are doing fine.

Miss June D. Bentley left Monday for Morehead State Teachers College where she will enroll in her first year college work.

### Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. Willie D. Collier entertained at their home on Main Street Tuesday Eve., Sept. 24th in honor of their daughter, Jonelle's 12th birthday. Those attending were: Derline Short, Carol and Doris Cochran, Phyllis Anne Shafer, Eunice Hale, Lillian Ray Holly, Jacqueline Cool, Helen Nichols, Joan Tackett, Joyce Anne Wright, Mary Anne Williams, Nina Faye and Nelda Gay Quillen, June and Pats Collier, Bobbie Spence, June wilder, Ramona McGuffey, Ruth Wise, Mary Jo Hush, Mary Jo Craft, Addie Lou Bentley and Jonelle Collier.

Jimmie Tucker, Charles Catron, Pete Compton and Kenneth Gooch. Delightful refreshments were served. Jonelle received many nice and lovely gifts. All reported a nice time and returned to their homes wishing Jonelle many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. W. M. Quillen has been ill again at her home.

Mrs. Ruth Parsons of Knoxville, Tenn., was visiting in Neon over the week end.

Mr. J. W. Jones is being treated at the Hazard Hospital for rheumatism.

Mr. Willie D. Collier will return to the Veterans Hospital at Johnson City within the next few weeks. Mr. Collier is still improving.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Crase and family will soon move from Little Creek to their home in Jenkins.

Judge Noah Bentley has purchased the farm where Mr. and Mrs. Crase have been residing and will move there in the near future.

**HALL - MEAD**  
The marriage of Barbra Geneva Hall to Charles Elmer Mead took place at the Fleming First Baptist Church on Monday, August 19th at 11:30 A. M.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lute Hall of Neon. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Mead of Potter's Fork, and has recently been discharged from the U. S. Navy where he spent several months of his overseas duty in the South Pacific.

Both bride and groom are graduates of Fleming High School.

Friends are wishing the young couple a lifetime of happiness.

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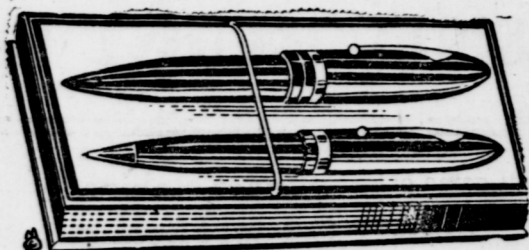
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### AAA NEWS

#### LIFE IMPOSSIBLE WITH- OUT PHOSPHORUS

Phosphate application to the soil enables plants, animals and humans to obtain the phosphorous needed for their normal development, Chairman N. R. Day of the Letcher County Agricultural Conservation Association committee says.

"Experts now generally agree that if life is to go on, certain soil elements are necessary," Chairman Day continued. While these elements are numerous phosphorous along with nitrogen, potassium, and calcium are needed in the larger quantities, he added.

In soils lacking phosphorous, the application of phosphates in various forms makes it available to plants. These in turn make it available to animals and human beings. Not only does this practice improve the quality of crops grown, but it also increases the yield.

In recognition of the need for this element in human nutrition and because some soils lack phosphorous, assistance is given under the Agricultural Conservation Program to farmers who apply phosphates to their land.

Farmers who have not received phosphate this year may get it now to apply on winter cover crops, pasture and hay crops.

#### Winter Cover Crops

##### Dual Purpose

Cover crops protect the land during the winter months and will add plant food to the soil when plowed under next spring. Chairman N. R. Day of the Letcher County Agri-

cultural Conservation Association committee, points out.

These crops cover the fields that have been left bare by harvesting this year, he said. This growth will prevent erosion by heavy winter and spring rains.

As one method of improving the Nation's health and future food supply, the Agricultural Conservation Program encourages farmers to practice this means of conservation. The program pays farmers 14.5c per pound for crimson clover and 12c per pound for vetch as the Government's share in the cost of this conservation measure.

Further information as to the amount and kind of seed to be planted and the proper time for seeding can be obtained at the county office in Whitesburg. This is work that farmers can do this fall in completing their individual 1946 conservation programs.

Hoover Dawahare went last week to Millersburg to enter Millersburg Military Institute where he will graduate this year.

Mr. James B. Collins attended a meeting of United Mine Workers in Atlantic City, N. J. this week.

### FOR SALE

One seven room house, 7 years old, new roofing, and brick siding. Will sell living room furniture, located on Road Ave. near Ben Robinson's place.

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### Southern Bell Asks Commission For Telephone Rate Increase

**Wage Increases, Building and  
Material Costs Pushing Expenses  
up Faster Than Revenues;  
Company Says Earnings Low-  
est in History.**

Because of greatly increased wages and rising costs of material and building construction, the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company today asked authority to raise rates in Kentucky so it can improve and expand service in pace with the state's economic development.

In a petition filed with the Kentucky Public Service Commission, the Company said its expenses in this state had climbed 118 per cent since 1939, while revenue increased only 88 per cent. During this same period total payroll costs increased 202 per cent. The Company said it had 4,000 employees in the state representing an increase of 90 per cent since 1939.

The rate increase for local service would be on a sliding scale, depending on the size of the locality. The Company is also asking authority to increase long-distance rates 5 cents on most calls within the state. The Company stated that the requested rate increase would not produce all the added revenue that current costs indicate is needed but that it hoped that its operating experience under the requested rates might prove them to be sufficient. The increases requested for residence

local service were held to a minimum as it was felt to be in the interest of business in the state that residential rates be kept as low as possible. It was further stated that the total increase would be only 11 per cent to Southern Bell's total revenue in the state.

"The Company is doing a larger volume of business than ever before," J. M. McAlister, Kentucky Manager of Southern Bell said, "but our earnings have dropped to a dangerously low point. This has resulted from the fact that wages and other costs have gone steadily upward while rates for local telephone service have remained the same for many years and long distance rates have even been reduced."

Mr. McAlister pointed out that telephone wage rates alone for Kentucky had increased by \$2,162,563 since March, 1945, on an annual basis, adding that the costs of erecting buildings have jumped 75 to 100 per cent, plant construction 45 to 60 per cent, and telephone materials 15 to 25 per cent.

"We are asking now for increases in rates that will more nearly reflect the costs of providing the service," Mr. McAlister said.

"That we have been able for many years to absorb increased costs, without asking for higher rates, is, we feel, a remarkable achievement of which the Company's management, our employees, and subscribers can justly be proud."

Mr. McAlister stated that the Telephone Company's investment in Kentucky is approximately \$40,000,000 representing an increase of about \$10,000,000 since 1939.

"The Telephone Company did not profit from the war," Mr. McAlister said, "as is shown by the fact that earnings declined throughout that period and are today less than half of what they were before the war. For 1939, the return was 4.40 per cent of the average investment. This percentage dropped point by point until in 1945 it was only 2.99 per cent. And for the period of April, through August of this year, extended on an annual basis, the return was only 1.83 per cent. This earnings rate does not include any possible tax refund that may be available this year only on 1944 Federal Income Taxes. We have every reason to believe that in the face of rising costs earnings will continue to drop unless we get some relief in the form of better rates."

"We must expand our facilities to meet the rapid growth of Kentucky because the telephone is a business and social necessity of modern living. We have great confidence in the future of this state and the Company has carefully-laid plans to keep pace with its development. Our plans call for gross expenditures of approximately \$35,000,000 for construction in Kentucky during the next five years. In the interest of our subscribers, we must protect the soundness of the telephone system by having our earning capacity more nearly equal costs."

"The rate revision we are now requesting is very nominal in view of the heavy increases in expenses we have sustained for a long period and the extensive building program now being undertaken in the state. The Telephone

Company's policy has been to keep its rates as low as was consistent with financial safety and that policy continues."

"The Southern Bell Company has grown with Kentucky," Mr. McAlister said, "and we are proud of the part we have taken in that growth. We look forward to an expanding telephone service that will reach more people, create more jobs, and promote the state's development. Reason-

able earnings are, of course, essential to the attainment of these objectives."

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## MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

To raise the sum of \$574.12 in the case of THE GUARANTY DEPOSIT BANK VS. NANCY SHEPPARD ET AL., Equity No. 5348, pending in the Letcher Circuit Court, as directed by judgment entered in said court on the 24th day of April, 1944, and by order entered on April 27th, 1946, I will sell the following described property, or a sufficiency thereof for that purpose, at public auction, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Whitesburg, Letcher County, Kentucky, at one o'clock P. M., October 7, 1946, on a credit of six months, with good surety for the purchase price, bearing interest at the rate of six percent per annum from the date of sale until paid, having the full force and effect of a judgment, no reply to be allowed in the event an execution shall be issued thereon, and a lien will be retained on the property sold as further surety, to-wit:

Being all of the one-third interest of Tom Sheppard remaining unsold after the parts or portions heretofore sold to pay the secured and lien debts of creditors H. C. Jenkins and the Guaranty Deposit Bank and others, less the 15 acres on the South side of the Cumberland river heretofore conveyed to Sallie Elkins, in and to the following described land, to-wit:

Lying and being on Poor Fork of the Cumberland River in Letcher County, Kentucky, near the post office of Partridge, Ky., and further described as follows:

Beginning at a set stone at corner of Charlie Maggard's yard and beginning of original boundary; thence with same N 45 30 E 195 feet to a point in Poor Fork down same; N 44 30 W 77 feet to point in Poor Fork; N 77 45 W 100 feet to a point in Poor Fork; S 17 45 W 118 feet to a stake in mouth of Elkins Branch; thence up said branch S 66 45 W 83 feet to a stake in branch; N 63 15 W 77 feet to red haw bush stump on west bank of branch; N 15 00 W 310 feet passing through old house place to a stake on north side of road where white oak stood; N 22 15 W 455 feet to two beeches on east bank of branch, corner to James Maggard tract; S 86 45 W 134 feet to a stake; thence leaving said boundary line S 10 00 E 530 feet to a stake in public road; S 24 35 E 922 feet crossing bottom to a point in the river; thence down with same S 78 00 W 130 feet to a point in the river; S 82 30 W 170 feet to a point in the river; S 73 00 W 268 feet to a point in the river; N 88 00 W 310 feet to a point in the river; S 64 00 W 140 feet to a locust on the north bank of the river, a corner of the outside boundary; thence with lines of same down the river S 40 00 E 578 feet to a stake; S 3 00 E 265 feet to spruce pine on south side of river; S 54 52 E 200 feet to a beech; S 80 59 E 266.2 feet to four chestnuts; N 58 52 E 98 feet to two sourwoods; N 31 04 E 124 feet to a double chestnut; N 36 53 E 177.6 feet to a water oak and maple; S 86 50 E 336 feet to a white oak and gum; N 52 25 E 292 feet to a chestnut white oak and maples; N 20 00 W 990 feet to the beginning, containing about 39.40 acres.

Also lot No. 1, which is bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake in a branch between two spruce pines marked as pointers and corner of Lot No. 2, allotted to T. J. Elkins; thence with lines of same S 89 00 E 45 feet to a stake in road; E 40 15 E 287 feet to a stake in the road; S 34 45 E 760 feet to a point in Poor Fork and corner J. I. Elkins heirs tract of one half of said land; thence with lines of same; N 78 00 E 130 feet to point in river, leaving river; N 24 35 W 922 feet to a stake in road; N 10 00 W 530 feet to a stake, corner of out-

side boundary; thence with lines of same N 71 30 W 345 feet to a stake 5 feet from a chestnut; S 88 35 W 168 feet to two chestnut oak sprouts; S 72 30 W 130 feet to a stake on top of spur; N 83 15 W 267 feet to a stake on ridge and corner to lot No. 2, allotted to T. J. Elkins; thence with lines of same S 34 30 E 337 feet to a small sourwood; S 4 30 W 240 feet to a stake in small branch; thence down with said branch giving each party free access to a road along said branch S 37 00 E 265 feet to a stake in said branch; S 33 30 W 445 feet to the beginning, containing about 18.20 acres.

A certain tract or parcel of land lying and being on Cumberland, Kentucky, in Letcher County, and known as tract No. 3, which is described as follows:

Beginning at a chestnut oak on top of a ridge east of Sugar Camp Branch, corner to C. D. Mullins and M. D. Lewis tracts; thence up the ridge with the lines of D. C. Mullins tract S 10 04 E 547.9 feet to a chestnut oak and dogwood; thence S 4 05 E 148.5 feet to a stake in a field; thence S 6 27 W 580.0 feet to three chestnuts (chestnut sprouts called for in previous survey); thence S 31 05 E 404.6 feet to a stake at fence (chestnut called for in previous survey not being found) thence S 52 35 E 168.3 feet to a hickory; thence S 29 35 E 233.9 feet to two hickories and one hickory stump; thence S 49 45 E 90.9 feet to a locust and maple; thence S 37 33 E 145.6 feet to a chestnut oak; thence S 48 32 E 166.8 feet to two chestnut oaks; thence S 65 00 E 116.0 feet to a sugar tree; thence S 52 59 E 222.0 feet to a sugar tree; thence S 52 59 E 222.0 feet to an iron wood and locust; thence S 48 01 E 338.6 feet to a chestnut oak on south side of a ridge about 35 feet from corner to the John S. Wentz tract; thence leaving the lines of the D. C. Mullins tract and with the line of the John S. Wentz tract N 41 12 E 367.2 feet to two chestnut oaks; thence N 38 27 E 259.9 feet to a sassafras, hickory and red bud; thence S 83 00 W 23.0 feet to two chestnut oaks and ash stump; corner to Henry Day 50 acres survey; thence 30 50 W 193.5 feet to a sugar tree and lynn stump; corner to Mose Maggard 50 acre survey; and corner to James P. Lewis tract, thence leaving the lines of the John S. Wentz tract and with the lines of the James P. Lewis tract N 20 47 W 498.0 feet to a chestnut oak on a cliff; thence N 54 28 W 275.5 feet to a stake (sourwood called for in previous survey not being found) thence N 45 48 W 249.0 feet to a hickory; thence N 21 28 W 484.2 feet to a chestnut; thence N 1 53 E 275 feet to a stake; thence N 8 12 E 150.2 feet to a dead chestnut; thence N 7 38 E 111.4 feet to a spotted oak; thence N 2 51 E 163.7 feet to a spotted oak; thence N 26 36 E 279.3 feet to a chestnut; thence N 21 40 E 107.8 feet to a sourwood on top of spur corner to the M. D. Lewis tract No. 1; thence leaving the lines of the James P. Lewis tract and with the lines of the M. D. Lewis tract No. 1 N 23 08 W 211.4 feet to a sourwood; thence N 14 45 W 140.2 feet to a white oak; thence N 6 23 W 422.5 feet to a stake; thence N 2 23 W 228.9 feet to a stake; thence N 15 58 W 320.6 feet to a white oak and flat rock; thence N 19 17 W 138.8 feet to a large rock on top of forked ridge of Maggard's Branch, corner to D. M. Maggard tract, thence with the lines of the D. M. Maggard tract S 77 51 W 734.5 feet to two sourwoods; thence N 28 44 W 112.7 feet to 5 maples; thence N 53 04 W 109.1 feet to two sourwoods; thence N 78 55 W 105.6 feet to a spotted oak; thence N 65 59 W 238.7 feet to two sourwoods; thence S 28 15 W 68.8 feet to a stake; thence S 7 28 W 88.9 feet to a stake; thence S 1 41 W 105.5 feet to a stake corner to the M. D. Lewis Tract

No. 2; thence leaving the line of the D. M. Maggard tract and with the lines of the M. D. Lewis tract No. 2 S 43 32 E 969.2 feet to a dogwood; thence S 15 10 W 103.6 feet to a small white oak; thence S 9 48 W 142.5 feet to a white oak (dead); thence S 11 11 W 160.4 feet to a stake; thence S 6 04 W 167 feet to a spruce pine; thence S 14 53 W 198.8 feet to a dead white oak; thence S 16 32 W 189.2 feet to the beginning, containing 89.1 acres more or less.

All white oak timber from 16 inches and up in diameter has been sold to Southernland Innes Company of New York. This deed is also subject to all rights and privileges of the mineral deed made to the United States Coal & Coke Company and which is recorded in Deed Book No. 55, page 632, record of Letcher County Court Clerk's office.

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We want to thank each and every one of you for the kind words and also for the beautiful flowers that were sent.

There is an absence in our family that can never be filled. We do miss our daddy whom we loved so much. We stood by him until death and we did all we could to give him comfort but God can give him comfort that is far greater than ours.

Daddy, we hated to give you up

As we held your dying hand.

And heard the last sign of your heart,

Daddy we feel so sad.

We did not know the pain you had

And we hated to see you go

We only know you went away

Because God loves you so.

Daddy we miss your footsteps

And we can't hear your voice

since you're gone.

As we think of you dear daddy

As the one that God took away

Through Heaven's Golden Door.

—Daughter and Son,  
Mrs. Perry Tiller and  
W. O. Hart  
Roy Kenneth Hart

## A Reason High Prices

I don't see why people should object to the high prices that are on the things that are essential to life, since they helped to bring high prices by failing to farm and raise the things that are so high. People have sought other work than farming for the sake of high wages. Farms are neglected, corn fields that at one time were cultivated, are now forest. At one time there were lots of hogs, sheep and things that were needful for food and clothing. I have not seen a sheep for years. Neither have I seen a hog, except in pens, belonging to some one who had money to pay for hogs. Poor people do not own hogs any more. It is evident to me, that until people go back to old time, honest labor, times will be no better. God said to Adam, "In the sweat of thy face thou shalt eat bread." And He intended for people, down through the ages to do as He told the first people He created to do. He sent Adam out of the garden of Eden to till the ground. Genesis 3-23.

—Rebecca Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Halcomb and son, Jerry, of Cumberland are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Adams this week.

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The clerk of the City of Neon is hereby directed, after having advertised the time, place and terms of sale and the rights to be sold, by at least two (2) insertions in two separate issues of "The Mountain Eagle," and by posting five written or printed notices, one at the door of the City Hall and one in four other public places within the City of Neon, the first of such publications and the date of posting such notices to be at least fifteen days before the date of sale, to offer for sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder at the front door of the City Hall in said City of Neon at 12 o'clock Noon on October 7, 1946 and receive bids for the right, privilege, franchise and authority to construct and maintain a water works system in said City of Neon, and to report his acts together with all bids received for such franchise to the Town Council of the City of Neon at its next regular meeting thereafter, to be held on the 4th day of November, 1946.

HILLARD KINCER, Mayor.

ATTEST:  
SAM T. WEBB, Clerk.

That there be and is hereby created the right, privilege and franchise to construct, operate and maintain, within the City of Neon, a water works plant and system of mains to furnish and for furnishing water to the said City of Neon and its inhabitants.

NOW THEREFORE, in order to carry into effect the purposes for which this franchise is granted, the ordinance is subject to the following stipulations, agreements and conditions, viz:

The terms of this franchise, granted and sold by the City of Neon, Kentucky, hereinafter called the "City," and the purchaser of this franchise, hereinafter called the "Company" for the period of twenty (20) years, beginning upon the date of the granting of the franchise, except as herein provided, shall be as follows, to-wit:

That the said company in consideration of the rights and privileges granted it and in further consideration of the faithful observance by the City of the covenants and agreements herein stated and performed, kept and fulfilled by it, hereby covenants, promises and agrees:

That for the aforesaid period of twenty years from and after the granting of the franchise (except as herein provided) it will furnish water to the City for the protection from fire, in accordance with and upon the terms and conditions hereinafter specified, charging \$30.00 per hydrant per annum throughout said period of twenty years, the City thereunto agreeing and binding itself to pay said rental in monthly installments to the company or its representative at the office of the City Treasurer or City Clerk, the said company further agreeing to extend its mains as the growth and development of the City or other circumstances may reasonably require, and to furnish without cost to the City any additional hydrants requested by the City to be installed and to install said hydrants and the said City to pay rental on said hydrants at the same rate as now charged for the ones in use at this time.

The location of hydrants, once established, is not to be changed unless such change is required by the City, by ordinance or resolution and with the consent of the Company. In which event, a reasonable time shall be allowed the company in which to make such change of location and if any be so made, the expense shall be borne by the City if the City requests such change.

The Company shall constantly keep its hydrants to be used by the city for fire purposes, supplied with water for fire purposes, and shall maintain them in efficient order.

The Chief of the Fire Department, or the Mayor or any other authorized agent for and upon behalf of the City, shall have control of all hydrants and may at any time cause them to be inspected and tested by his department; and then if upon such inspection, any of them are found to be out of order, he shall forthwith notify the company in writing specifying those in question, the company shall forthwith proceed to repair the same or the City may be entitled to deduct from the rental of the hydrants, next payable thereafter to the Company, the sum of \$10.00 per week for the time such hydrant shall remain out of order, or until another has been obtained.

The Company shall not be held responsible for the inefficiency of any hydrant until after the above said report has been properly filed with the Company as above set forth, and the Company duly notified in writing.

The Company, its successors or assigns, shall give at all times to the City free and unobstructed use for fire purposes, of any and all fire hydrants located and maintained as aforesaid and the City by its proper officers or employees shall have the right at all times for the purpose of extinguishing fires to take water from said hydrants without further cost to the City but any unnecessary abuse or damage to the hydrants by the Fire Department shall be paid for or replaced by the City.

The Company agrees within a reasonable time after the sale of this franchise (not to exceed twelve months) to install a first-class filtering and chlorinating system or such other water purifying system as will furnish to the City absolutely pure water which will be free from all disease producing germs and bacteria, foreign matter, sediment, silt, vegetable or animal or mineral matter and other living organisms, and in addition thereto to comply with and meet the requirements of the State Board of Health of Kentucky for approved rating; to remove all cross connections to wells and other sources of water supply endangering city water with contamination from such connections; to maintain pipelines in such a way as to prevent contamination from leaking sewers near the water lines, and if such contamination should occur that the complete water system shall be chlorinated and thoroughly checked for any contamination.

Water for all purposes shall be distributed throughout the system of water works by direct pressure upon the mains and pipes from pumps and reservoirs and in such quantity and volume as to meet the demands of domestic and business requirements. The same to continue throughout the life of this contract except in the case of an unavoidable emergency, at which time the City shall exercise fair and due leniency to the company until such conditions may be overcome.

When three-fourths of the lot owners adjacent to a desired extension of the water main shall present to the company a contract for the use of water, as per the general stipulations of this ordinance, the company agrees to lay such main of a size and quality agreed upon between it and the City, and said mains shall consist of some suitable material for said purpose (no wooden pipes).

The company shall have the exclusive right of tapping its mains for the purpose of running service pipes and shall supply and insert stopcocks. Further extensions of the line may be made by any plumber licensed by the City, but such work as well as the materials used, subject to the company's approval, both as to quality and size.

It shall be the duty of the company to place valves at suitable intervals in its system so located as to best control each lateral district and the city, by a unanimous vote of the City Council, may from time to time require the company to place valves at any connection within the city in order that it will not be necessary for a great many people within the city to be without service when repairs are being made on the mains.

The company agrees that in pursuance of the rights, privileges and franchises herein granted there shall be no unnecessary or unreasonable obstruction of streets or other public places and that during the progress of any of its work it will exercise due care in the protection of the public from accident and injury and it will hold the City of Neon harmless from any and all damages, suits and actions by reason of negligence of the Company or its employees while constructing, extending, operating or maintaining its work.

It is understood, stipulated, and agreed by and between the city and the company that the failure of the company at any time during the tenure of this franchise to live up to the faithful observance of the covenants and agreements contained herein shall operate and be construed as a forfeiture of the rights and privileges of this franchise, and the city, at any time during the twenty years hereinafter mentioned shall have the right to take said plant together with all equipment, both real and personal, at the time owned by said company upon the following conditions:

The city shall give 30 days written notice to the company of the breach of any covenant herein contained or any other bona fide complaint occasioned by neglect, omission, or commission of the company and after the 30 days hereinafter mentioned, the company shall have a period of 30 days to fulfill the covenants breached, make necessary repairs complained of by the city or to rectify or adjust the conditions complained of by the city. It is further understood and agreed that in the event that it would be impossible or out of the control of the company to make the necessary adjustments complained of by the city within the 30-day period, then in that event, the city shall use fair and just leniency toward the company until such complaint has been equitably adjusted. After the expiration of the 30-days granted to the company in which to correct or make good the bona fide complaint of the city, upon default of the company to make such alterations or rectify said conditions, the city may have said property appraised by two competent and disinterested persons selected, one by the City of Neon and the other by the company, and who shall be familiar with water works valuations, and to provide against the possible disagreement between said appraisers, that shall before entering upon the discharge of their duties, choose an umpire who shall determine any differences which may arise between such appraisers. Said appraisers shall then proceed to determine such value and in so doing they shall take into consideration that the plant is a going concern in addition to the fair and equitable value of

the plant. The city may then elect to purchase the property of the company at its appraised value.

The Company hereby specifically agrees before making any repairs to mains or other parts of its property in, on and under the streets of the City of Neon, to obtain from the City Council or Clerk thereof, a permit authorizing it to do such work and it agrees to properly replace any pavement, sidewalk, utility strip or other part of the street to its original strength and smoothness with materials as ordinarily used, and to refill all ditches excavated by it as soon as practicable after said work has been completed.

The purchaser of this franchise shall, within a reasonable period of time, not to exceed 12 months after the purchase of this franchise, replace all wooden pipe lines or mains serving the entire city of Neon with some good grade of metal pipes, and not to use any wooden pipes or mains during the life of this franchise.

The Company agrees to furnish the City of Neon, within 60 days after the date of the purchase of this franchise, a complete map of its distribution system, showing the size of mains and location of hydrants and valves.

The Company shall have the right to install meters at all connections within the city at the expense of the company and said meters shall remain the property of the company.

The company agrees to furnish a sufficient pressure at all times for the purpose of fighting fires and for the general use of the people served by it; said pressure not to be less than 72 pounds; or such as will meet the requirements of the State Fire Department or Actuarial Bureau; that it will construct additional reservoirs at such elevation as to furnish a reasonable water pressure for the residents of persons living on hills and other elevated portions of the City, said construction to be done as soon as practicable after the purchase of this franchise, but in no event to be longer than one year from said date; that it will flush and clean out all reservoirs at least every 90 days until the filtering system hereinabove mentioned has been installed and is functioning.

It is understood and agreed by and between the City and the company that the successful bidder of this franchise shall pay all costs incurred by the City for the advertising of this franchise. The company shall have the right to charge consumer according to the following schedule:

First 1500 gallons or fraction thereof, per month ..... \$2.50  
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HILLARD KINCER, Mayor.

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## Local Happenings

—Mrs. Stephen Combs, Jr.—

### Club Enjoys Garden Program

The opening program meeting of Whitesburg Woman's Club was held on Saturday afternoon, Sept. 28th, at the home of Mrs. Cossie Quillen. Mrs. Zennith Bentley, president, called the meeting to order and reports of secretary and treasurer were given by Mrs. Forrest Brown and Mrs. W. P. Nolan, respectively. The program was in charge of Mrs. Cecil Webb. Subject "Flowers in the Home." Response to roll call was "My Favorite Winter Plant." Miss Viola Cook gave an interesting talk on Flower Arrangement. Mrs. Millard Tolliver presented the following young ladies from the High School Glee Club, Misses Betty and Margie Slomp, Patsy Ann Fields, Ava Nell Polly and Marietta Kincaid who sang, "The Green Cathedral." Mrs. French Hawk talked on "Care of Winter Plants." In discussing the Poinsettia, the most popular of winter potted plants, she said that most people consider the glowingly-red leaves as the flowers or bloom of the poinsettia, when in reality the true flowers are the small bright yellow balls in the center of the red bracts, or cluster of red leaves. Room temperature should never fall below 60 degrees because a sudden chill from an open door or window will turn the leaves yellow and cause them to drop off. Moisture with warm water. Mrs. Hawk urged everyone to have at least one African Violet plant for they are the easiest to grow and the plant and bloom are beautiful. Year books were presented to the members. The year books were dedicated to the memory of Mrs. Elcaney Potter.

The Refreshment committee, composed of Mrs. James Brown, Miss Carlene Kilgore, Miss Elline Salyer, Mrs. Lewis Ammerman and Mrs. Roy McClure, served 24-hour salad, open sandwiches coffee and mints. New members admitted to the club were Mrs. Guy Jackson, Mrs. Orval Hughes, Mrs. Paul Stewart, Mrs. Millard Tolliver, Miss Viola Cook, Mrs. Kyle Campbell, Mrs. F. L. Farinash, Mrs. Mary Belle Rogers, Mrs. Virgil Picklesimer, Miss Rudell Fields, Mrs. J. W. McWilliams and Mrs. Dock Franklin.

Jack Cornett has entered University of Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. James Marlowe and sons are visiting her parents in Bluefield, West Va.

Miss Bertha Vincent is visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Marlowe in Lexington.

Fernoy Mosgrove, student at University of Kentucky, came home for a few and will leave this week for the army.

### Birth Announcement:

Mr. and Mrs. Nemiah Hogg announce the birth of a daughter, Linda Lee, on September 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Spradlin, Carlisle, were week end guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Lynch.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Hughes were Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Jones and children, Illa Jane and Shelby, from Corinth, Ky. Mrs. Jones is Mr. Hughes' sister.

### Garden Club Entertained

Mrs. Lawrence Lewis was hostess to the garden club on Saturday evening. Mrs. Vergil Picklesimer gave the thought for the evening program. Mrs. Lester Hammock talked on "Fall Clothing Facts" and Mrs. Mary Belle Rogers talk was on "Landscaping and Pruning Shrubs." Mrs. Rogers told the club that all blooming shrubs should be pruned just after the blooming season, but if the shrubs were not pruned at that time, they should be pruned now. Pruning will make stronger plants

and more abundant blooms. Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Ben Sergeant, Mrs. Arch Adams, Mrs. Charles Blair, Mrs. Lester Hammock, Mrs. Townsel Adams, Mrs. Roy Crawford and Mrs. Vergil Picklesimer.

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**Miscellaneous Shower Honoring Recent Bride**  
Mrs. Robert Williams was honoree at a miscellaneous shower on Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Sweet Shoppe. Sponsors Miss Louise Williams and Mrs. Willis Mohn.

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Mrs. J. S. Nicholson is visiting relatives in Knoxville.

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Mrs. David Hays is visiting her sister, Mrs. Rebecca Ann Ison in Dupont, Ind. She has been there several weeks and is expected home within a few days.

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**Mullins Visit in Berea**

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Mullins, Mrs. Dale Mullins and Mrs. Mary Belle Rogers spent Sunday in Berea with Miss Charlene Mullins, who is a student there. Joining them there were Mr. and Mrs. Kenton Mullins of Louisville, and Mr. Dale Mullins from Lexington.

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Mrs. French Hawk, Mrs. Oscar Lewis and Mr. Lewis E. Harvie were guests in Hazard at the wedding of Miss Ann Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Moore on Sept. 21st.

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**Mrs. Paul Stewart in Harlan Hospital**

Mrs. Paul Stewart is a patient in Harlan Hospital recovering from an operation performed on Friday, Sept. 27th.

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At a party given by Miss Ermadene Collins on Saturday evening the following were present, Mr. and Mrs. Bee Day, Jr., Miss Ethel Standifer, Herman Sergeant and Emery Lewis.

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It was Miss Una Combs, rather than her identical twin sister, Miss Beta, as reported last week, who visited here from Hopkinsville last week.

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**State Garden Club At Middlesboro**

Fall Meeting of Kentucky State Garden Clubs will be held in Middlesboro at the Hotel Cumberland on October 7th and 8th. This will be a very interesting and helpful program and all members are urged to attend. Mrs. Preston E. Sloan has been selected as delegate from Letcher County Garden Club.

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**STURGILL - SMITH WEDDING**

Miss Jackie Sturgill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benton Sturgill of Sand Gap, Ky., became the bride of John Harmon Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Smith of Newport News, Va. The wedding took place in the Christ Episcopal Church Sept. 22, 8:30 A. M., at Blacksburg, Va. The Rev. Fortune officiating, using the double ring ceremony. The altar was decorated with white chrysanthemums and foliage, interspersed with candelabra, holding lighted tapers.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a dressmaker suit of light blue gabardine, a hat of felt with light blue feathers, and black accessories. She carried a white prayer book, tied with shower streamers knotted with stephanotis. Her corsage was of white roses, her only jewelry was a string of pearls, a gift of the bride room. Miss Naomi Jones of Knoxville, Tenn, the maid of honor, wore a black wool crepe suit with black and white accessories, and a corsage of pink roses. Mrs. L. J. Hammel, Jr., of Knoxville, sister of the bride was matron of honor, wearing a light green gabardine suit with brown accessories and corsage of yellow roses. Charles Smith of Newport News

Va., brother of the groom was best man.

The mother of the bride wore a black crepe suit and corsage of red rose buds. The mother of the groom was attired in a black crepe dress with corsage of red rose buds. Following the ceremony the bride's parents entertained with a wedding breakfast at the Williams Preston Hotel for the immediate families, and members of the bridal party.

The couple left for a wedding trip to Baltimore, Md. and upon their return they will reside in Blacksburg, Va. The bride is a graduate of Berea High School and attended Eastern State Teachers College at Richmond.

The bridegroom after three years in the Air Forces is completing his studies at Virginia Polytechnical Institute of Blacksburg, Va.

COX - MORRIS



Miss Georgia Mae Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Cox, of Neon, and Sgt. James E. Morris, son of Mrs. Alveta Durbin, were married at 3:00 o'clock Sunday at the First Methodist Church, Irvine, Ky., by Rev. Robert Hart.

The church was decorated with lilies and ferns. Miss Bertha Snowden, organist, Miss Nancy Previtt, vocalist, and Mrs. Elmo Farley, pianist, presented nuptial selections.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a blue wool suit with black accessories, with a shoulder bouquet of orchids.

The maid of honor, Miss Sue Roberts, of Neon, wore a black suit with matching accessories and a shoulder bouquet of red roses and white carnations.

Delores Farley, the flower girl, wore a blue embroidered wool gown and carried a bouquet of red roses tied with red ribbon. Thomas E. White served as best man.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the church basement. The table was centered with a three tiered wedding cake topped with a bride and groom figure.

The bride has been attending Berea College and Sgt. Morris attended Eastern Teacher's College, Richmond. He is now stationed with the R. T. C., at Fort Knox.

After a short wedding trip the couple will reside at Fort Knox.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were Mrs. Nata Craft, Mrs. Luther Roberts, Sue Roberts, Norma Jean Hush, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Cox, Cleta Ray Cox, of Neon, and Mrs. Alberta Durbin and daughter, of Rhode Island.

### Blackey 4-H Club

The Blackey 4-H Club held a reorganization meeting last Friday and elected new officers for the coming year 1946-47. Approximately eighty-four members enrolled in various projects. Plans are being made to organize a Senior Club, composed of the older boys and girls in the community, to meet once a month, and to organize a Junior Club, to meet regularly during the school term. It is estimated that one hundred thirty boys and girls in the Blackey community will be enrolled in both groups.

Club officers elected for the Junior Group were as follows: President, Ruth Trent. Vice-Pres., John C. Buckhold. Secretary, Faye Lusk. News Reporter, J. B. Logan,

Jr. Song Leaders, Oma Jo Dixon, Grace Doris Branson, Alpha Watts, Geneva Collins, and Betsy Nichol.

The Blackey 4-H Club leaders are Mrs. Gladys B. Caudill, Mrs. Florence D. Hogg, Miss Lucille Dixon, and Mrs. Hazel H. Whitaker.



One of these days I'm going to get up on my feet at a meeting of the Directors and other leaders of the Committee for Kentucky and urge the organization to launch an educational program for the creation of a State Department of Research and Planning.

Everywhere I go in the State I see people building things to meet the needs of the present. Planners reach conclusions by counting noses in their communities and the designs they accept seem to be slightly modified ideas of their grandfathers.

Travel over the State and you will see hundreds of schools and other public institutions built ten to fifteen years ago that are already pitifully inadequate.

If our enabling laws are a hindrance to building for the future they can be modernized by proper legislative enactments and by a revision of our present antiquated constitution.

Counties, neighborhoods, towns, cities put up school buildings that will not even meet the demands of five years' healthy population increase, when they ought to build, both as to size and convenience, for thirty to forty years hence. And this goes for all kinds of public buildings.

To illustrate my point, I'll tell you about what happened on the Pacific coast after a great city was destroyed by earthquake and fire. San Francisco was reduced to an area that looked even worse than the bombed cities of Europe in the last World War. I was there in 1910, four years after the disaster. The city, for the most part, had been rebuilt. Office buildings were perhaps 25 per cent occupied. Hotels had hardly enough guests to pay the waiters and bellhops. Being a roving newspaper reporter, I picked a medium priced hotel—brand new but not one of the city's most luxurious hostleries. The hotel was delighted to put me up for fifty cents a day. The luxury hotels were taking them in at a dollar a day, as compared with a \$5 rate in other large cities. The city was far too big for its downtown population, its volume of business. It had built for the future—so it thought. Yet by 1915, or 11 years after it was destroyed, San Francisco realized its job had been too small.

Here in Kentucky nearly everything is planned locally, often with limited courage and imagination, and by officials cramped by outmoded laws governing the financing of public projects. A State Bureau of Planning could send experts to localities to help them design their institutional buildings and other public improvements to meet the demands of several decades in the future.

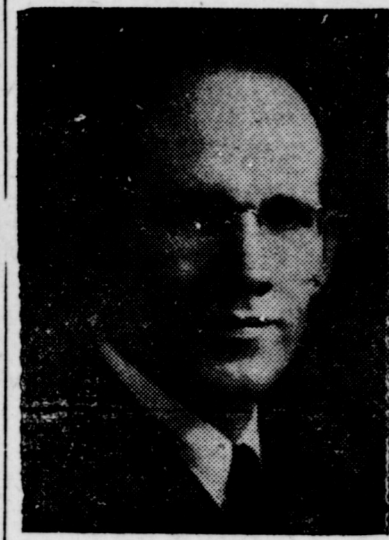
From the standpoint of costs over a long stretch, such a Bureau would be worth 100 times the expense of maintaining it.

### FIRST FROST OF SEASON CAME WED. MORNING

The first frost of the season came Wednesday morning, also frost on Thursday morning greeting early risers. The days however have been considerably warmer. The leaves of the forest are changing color fast adding magic beauty to the entire mountain region. A note of melancholy and sadness also comes with the autumn season.

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DR. DAVID L. STITT WILL BE THE SPEAKER ON PRESBYTERIAN HOUR SUNDAY, OCT. 6TH 8:30



David L. Stitt

Dr. David L. Stitt, president of Austin Theological Seminary, Austin, Texas, will be the speaker on the Presbyterian Hour next Sunday morning, October 6, at 8:30 A. M., EST., over an independent network of southeastern radio stations. A Texan by birth, Dr. Stitt attended the Texas Christian University, and graduated from Austin College in 1933. He took his theological training at the Austin Presbyterian Seminary, graduating there in 1936. After a pastorate in Haskell, Texas, he was called to be the assistant pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church in St. Louis, Mo. After the resignation of Dr. William Crowe in 1939, Dr. Stitt was called to be the church's minister and remained there for six years until he became the new president of Austin Seminary early this year.

The subject of Dr. Stitt's address next Sunday morning will be "Broken Things."

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